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(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Laurent Simony

Application No.: 10/827094

Filed: April 19, 2004

For: PROCESS FOR SAMPLING THE SIGNAL

DELIVERED BY AN ACTIVE PIXEL OF AN IMAGE SENSOR, AND CORRESPONDING

SENSOR

Confirmation No.: 1471

Art Unit: 2612

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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Dated: 08-24-04 Signa

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application – Filing Date Granted mailed June 28, 2004, Applicant respectfully submits a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages), the Filing Fee for the Application (as shown on accompanying Fee Transmittal), an Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form SB/08 with references A1-2, C1, a Claim for Priority (35 USC 119) and Submission of Documents, Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts, Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet (4 pages).

Our check in the amount of \$1,274.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e), the filing fees and the Assignment recordation fee for the subject application is enclosed.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 10-0447, under Order No. 61170-

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Respectfully suppritted

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Art Ur	nit		2612							
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l	1004	770	2004	385	· · · ·		1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing		
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$900 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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